

MS Mechanical Engineering

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570 Curriculum





- Unique and relevant content.
- Fully accredited degrees.
- Many opportunities:
 - Diverse specialization tracks.
 - JPME

• Sandra Day:

- Ed Tech: Recordkeeping, general assistance.

CDR Cunningham:

 Program Officer: P-code and degree requirements, general (academic/career) advice.

Prof. Papoulias:

 Academic Advisor: Degree requirements, general (academic) advice.

Prof. Healey:

- Chairman: Final word.





Roadmap

Quarter	To Do
1	BSME/MSME. Decide on your matrix (TSSE?).
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3	Start talking to faculty about your thesis.
4	Pick a thesis advisor, specialization area, and schedule your electives.
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6	Fill out the thesis approval form.Start working on your thesis.
7	Thesis slots (maybe earlier).Fill out final versions of BSME/MSME.
8	•Final revisions of BSME/MSME forms.
After	Keep in touch!





BSME/MSME

- ME is accredited at the MS level.
- Non-BSME students must completely fill out the BSME equivalency form.
- All students must fill out BSME and the MSME forms.
- Do it early, let me see it and file with Sandra.
- Revise them often.
- Final forms must be in your file prior to graduation.





Specialization Tracks

- Three electives (4xxx); two must be from a specialization track.
- Available tracks:
 - Dynamic Systems and Control: Healey, Papoulias, Ross, Kaminer, Driels (Weaponeering).
 - Structural Mechanics: Shin, Gordis, Agrawal.
 - Fluid/Thermo: Millsaps, Gopinath, Kelleher, Sarpkaya, Shreeve, Hobson.
 - Materials Science: McNelley, Dutta.
 - Ship Systems: Papoulias, Calvano.
- Decide early:
 - Electives are offered once a year.
 - Track is in support of thesis work.



- What is a thesis?
- What is a thesis advisor?
- Who can serve as a thesis advisor?
- When do I start the thesis?
- How long does the thesis require?
- How many thesis slots?
- Can I take additional thesis slots?
- Can I do a joint thesis?
- Can I combine thesis with courses?
- How do I select a thesis topic/advisor?
- Is there any funding required or received?
- Are there any resources available?





Typical Matrix

NW3230 Joint Strategic Planning

> OS3104 Statistics

1	EC1010 Introduction to MATLAB	MA1118 Multi-Variable Calculus	ME0952 Special Topics	ME2101 Thermodynamics	ME2503 Statics and Dynamics
2	MA1042 Matrix Algebra	MA2139 Differential Equations	ME0952 Special Topics	ME2601 Solid Mechanics I	MS2201 Materials Science
3	MA3132 Partial Differential Equations	MA3232 Numerical Analysis	ME0952 Special Topics	ME2201 Fluid Mechanics I	ME3611 Solid Mechanics II
4	EO2102 Circuit and Power System Analysis	ME0952 Special Topics	ME3150 Heat Transfer	ME3201 Applied Fluid Mechanics	ME3521 Mechanical Vibrations
5	ME0952 Special Topics	ME2801 System Dynamics	ME3450 Computational Methods	ME3711 Machine Design	MS3202 Failure Analysis
6	ME0952 Special Topics	ME3240 Marine Power and Propulsion	ME3712 Systems Design	ME3801 Automatic Controls	ME4xxx Elective
7	ME0810 Thesis Research	ME0810 Thesis Research	ME0952 Special Topics	MS3606 Welding	ME4xxx Elective
8	ME0810 Thesis Research	ME0810 Thesis Research	ME0952 Special Topics	TS3001 Naval Architecture	ME4xxx Elective





- Option (specialization area).
- Focuses on Total warship design.
- Open to ME, ECE, Physics, SEA students.
- Not a separate degree but a P-code designation.
- Decide early if TSSE is for you.
- More info at www.nps.navy.mil/tsse/





Typical TSSE Matrix

F	ME2503 Statics and Dynamics	MA2121 Differential Equations	ME2101 Thermodynamics	TS3000 Electrical Power	MA2043 Linear Algebra
W	MS2201 Materials Science	TS3001 Naval Architecture	TS3002 Ship Design	TS3003 Combat Systems I	
Sp	ME2201 Fluids I	ME2801 System Dynamics	TS4000 Combat Systems II	TS4001 Ship Systems Integration	MA3132 PDEs
Su	ME3801 Automatic Controls	ME3521 Mechanical Vibrations	ME2601 Solids I	TS4002 TSSE Design Project	
F	ME3611 Solids II	MS3202 Failure Analysis	MA3232 Numerical Analysis	TS4003 TSSE Design Project	
W	ME3150 Heat Transfer	ME3201 Fluids II	OS3104 Probability	ME0810 Thesis	
Sp	MS3304 Corrosion	ME3450 Computational Methods	ME3711 Machine Design	ME0810 Thesis	
Su	NW3230 Strategic Planning	ME4xxx Elective	ME0810 Thesis	ME0810 Thesis	





- PYTHON you will be using it.
- MATLAB
- Technical writing.
- Technical presentation skills.

